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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Rea et al.

Serial No.: 09/666,430

Filed: September 21, 2000

For: DENDRITIC CELLS ACTIVATED IN
THE PRESENCE OF GLUCOCORTICOID
HORMONES ARE CAPABLE OF
SUPPRESSING ANTIGEN-SPECIFIC
T CELL RESPONSES

Examiner: F. Pierre Vander Vegt, Ph.D.

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Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action, which was mailed on June 29, 2001. This amendment is being filed with a petition for a one month extension of time together with the appropriate fee. Thus, the amendment should be deemed as being timely filed. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Applicants note that all claims amended herein are shown below for clarity. A marked-up version of the claims is provided in Appendix C.